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On 4th August correspondent METCALF [METKAF] confidentially communicated from CARTHAGE [KARFAGEN][i] to the editorial office of YUN's[ii] journal that Paul CULBERTSON, chief of the Western European Division of the BANK[iv], who recently returned from a secret mission to Lisbon confidentially told METCALF [1 group] of the URBANITES[v] [D% in] Portugal concerning the giving of military bases in the AZORES to the COUNTRY [STR.NA][vi]. It is probable that the COUNTRY will receive those bases. The COUNTRY is also interested in the utilisation of 1 base but negotiations have not yet begun.[vii] The ISLAND [OSTROV] does not openly object to [1 group] [D% about] military bases but objects very much to a commercial base.

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Comment:

[i] KARFAGEN - Washington D.C.

[ii] YUN -

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[iv] BANK - U.S. State Department.

[v] URBANITES [GOROZHANE] - Americans

[vi] STR.NA - The U.S.A.

[vii] In the light of what follows, possibly a commercial base is meant here.

[viii] OSTROV - Great Britain.

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